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ABSTRACT

A pulverulent phytosterol formulation comprising at least one phytosterol having a mean particle size ranging from 0.01 to 100 μm , a process for producing the pulverulent phytosterol formulation, and a food supplement, an animal feed, food or pharmaceutical or cosmetic preparation comprising the phytosterol formulation.

~~Pulverulent phytosterol formulations~~

~~Abstract~~

~~A description is given of pulverulent phytosterol formulations, processes for the production thereof and use thereof.~~